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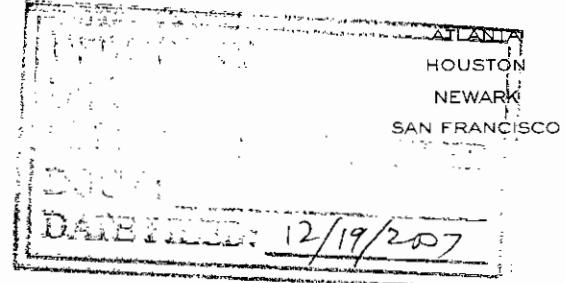
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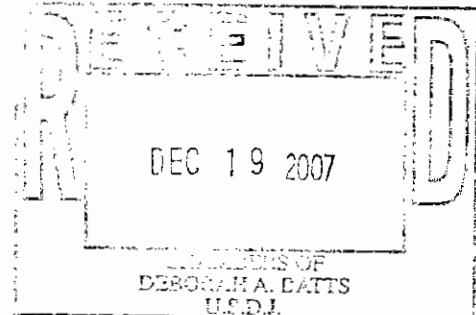
December 18, 2007



VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

The Honorable Deborah A. Batts
United States District Judge
U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York
Daniel Patrick Moynihan United States Courthouse
500 Pearl Street, Room 2510
New York, New York 10007

Re: American International Group Inc. v. Kania
Civil Action No. 07 CV 10689



Dear Judge Batts:

We represent Defendant Timothy Kania ("Defendant") in the above-referenced action. We write respectfully to request a 20-day extension of the time within which Defendant can answer, move, or otherwise respond to Plaintiff's Complaint, from Thursday, December 20, 2007 to Wednesday, January 9, 2008. There have been no prior requests for an adjournment of this date, and counsel for Plaintiff consents to this application.

We thank the Court for its time and consideration of this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

Christopher P. Johnson

cc: Michael B. Carlinsky, Esq.

SO ORDERED:

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Deborah A. Batts
12/19/2007
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Deborah A. Batts, U.S.D.J.